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## Joint Senate, House Committees to Discuss Corrections Parole Violation Policies

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**WHAT:** Joint meeting with the Senate Judiciary Committee, House Judiciary

Committee, and House Appropriations Subcommittee on Corrections.

**WHO:** Committee chairs state Sen. Alan Cropsey and state Reps. William Van

Regenmorter (Judiciary) and John Pastor (Corrections); committee members; and Michigan Department of Corrections Director Patricia L.

Caruso.

**WHERE:** Room 352, House Appropriations, 3rd Floor, State Capitol.

**WHEN:** Tuesday, Feb. 28, at 12:00 p.m.

**WHY:** A Michigan parolee has recently been charged in the brutal murders of

three people in Macomb and Genesee counties. Lawmakers will conduct an oversight hearing on the Michigan Department of Corrections parole violation policies in light of the murders. Michigan Department of

Corrections Director Caruso will discuss the incident and the department's

policies.